

### **REMARKS**

Applicant's counsel thanks the Examiner for the careful consideration given the application. The Examiner indicated in the Office action that the claims would be allowed if they were amended as proposed in the Office action. The applicant has accordingly amended the claims as the Examiner has proposed in the July 23, 2008 Office action, except for the proposed amendment to claim 52, line 1, which is not needed.

Since the claims have now been amended as requested, the claims are in condition for allowance, which is respectfully requested.

If any additional fees are required by this communication, please charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. VOB-37872.

Respectfully submitted,

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